

Median Activity of House Candidates
Through 20 Days Before the Election

	2004			2002			2000			1998		
	Number of Candidates	Receipts	Disbursements	Number of Candidates	Receipts	Disbursements	Number of Candidates	Receipts	Disbursements	Number of Candidates	Receipts	Disbursements
Democrats												
Incumbents	191	\$736,676	\$600,441	193	\$669,148	\$496,790	202	\$613,975	\$447,912	193	\$466,349	\$328,468
Challengers	156	\$69,835	\$57,179	108	\$58,520	\$41,683	134	\$132,353	\$103,425	131	\$94,559	\$62,590
Open Seats	29	\$788,467	\$521,215	44	\$786,748	\$565,105	32	\$675,366	\$611,050	32	\$510,382	\$473,088
Republicans												
Incumbents	210	\$907,264	\$686,607	198	\$729,026	\$580,682	196	\$698,953	\$531,336	211	\$552,099	\$425,406
Challengers	128	\$86,896	\$46,994	113	\$54,924	\$46,994	133	\$64,368	\$59,787	113	\$172,453	\$117,569
Open Seats	37	\$885,858	\$785,739	45	\$885,099	\$685,949	32	\$888,314	\$701,669	29	\$709,127	\$548,795

Note: includes only candidates who reported raising some money before 20 days prior to the election.